

**ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE**

An isolated polypeptide having at least 80% sequence identity to the sequence SEQ ID NOS:2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14 or 16, and polynucleotides encoding the same, are useful for modulating angiogenesis.

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